

BRIGADES OF THE ALLIES DRIVEN INTO SEA

Turkish Officials Claim Big Victory at the Dardanelles

REPORT RENDERED BY AUTO ENTHUSIASTS

It is still a moot question whether or not the party of Los Angeles automobile enthusiasts, who were greeted at two public meetings held in this city, accomplished anything of value to the southern country by their tour, and it is as yet undecided whether or not their propositions will be accepted, but in order to evidence the viewpoint of the party itself, the following is reproduced from the Los Angeles Herald:

Arrangements have been made for the thorough sign-posting of the Utah-Nevada-California branch of the Lincoln highway from Los Angeles to Salt Lake, according to Engineer O. K. Parker, who, with W. W. Pedder, returned Thursday night.

"The trip which we have just finished," said Mr. Parker, in a special interview for the Evening Herald, "was probably the most successful undertaking for road improve-

ment which has ever been carried out in western America.

"When I tell you that every city, county and good roads official and every civic organization from Los Angeles to Salt Lake is heartily in sympathy with and has been committed to the improvement of the road all the way from Salt Lake City to Los Angeles it will at once be appreciated that this means to southern California a tremendous influx of transcontinental motorists from the east who otherwise would have continued over the regular Lincoln highway from Ely, Nev., through Reno to San Francisco.

"Our touring information bureau, through Mr. Arnold's connection with important interests in the east, had been advised of the large number of motorists who intended to come to

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BRITISH COMMANDER OF THE FORCES IN FRANCE CLAIMS THAT DEFINITE CHECK HAS BEEN GIVEN TO GERMAN ARMY

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, April 29.—Turkish and British reports of land operations at the Dardanelles are in conflict. From the Turkish version it would appear that the allies' land invasion ended in disaster. Further claims of victories are made in an official Constantinople report. It says that the forces landed near Kaba Tepeh were forced back with heavy losses. Four brigades were driven into the sea and others are surrendering. A British transport was sunk, says Constantinople, off the west coast of the peninsula of Gallipoli. The British give no hint of defeat, but assert that they are advancing. An Athens dispatch says that the allies were victorious in a battle on the west side of the peninsula, inflicting serious losses to the Turks, capturing one entire battalion. The battle in Flanders has apparently passed the high point of intensity and is becoming less severe. The British commander in France has announced that the Germans have been checked definitely.

MANY LEASERS WORKING IN OLD MIDWAY

Eleven sets of leasers are now at work on the old diggings of the Tonopah Midway Consolidated Mining company. They are averaging from two to four men to the set. They are all experienced miners and many of them have been employed by the company and are thoroughly conversant with the ground.

Superintendent Douglass declines to confirm the rumor that is being generally circulated to the effect that one of the sets, which had been working only two days, and which was assigned a block for which it did

not originally apply, has cut three feet of hundred dollar ore. The stock advanced sharply on the circulation of rumor.

Mr. Douglass says that he has received a number of applications and that more leasers will be let. Nearly all the tributaries are getting more or less ore of a profitable grade. The foundation for the new compressor is installed and in readiness for the machinery, which is now on the way from Pennsylvania. Immediately upon its arrival and installation the work of sinking the new shaft will be resumed.

STEGAL DIES GAZING AT PHOTOGRAPH OF THE WOMAN HE HOPELESSLY LOVED

Gazing at the picture of the woman he loved, R. L. J. D. Stegal sent his soul to eternity yesterday morning, the cold and rigid body being found late in the afternoon by a chambermaid in the rooming house over the Morrow store.

Stegal disrobed early in the morning and placed the photograph of Mrs. Minnie Abbott on the chair and evidently lay there gazing at it. Beside the photo were found his pipe and the holster of his gun, a .38-caliber pistol. He evidently spent some time in musing over the step he was about to take, for the ashes of his pipe and cigar were found plentifully on both chair and floor. No one heard the shot fired, but the chambermaid shrieked hysterically when at 3:30 she discovered the lifeless body.

The deceased had apparently been deliberate in his actions. He placed the muzzle of the gun close to his right eye when he fired. Death was evidently instantaneous. Stegal was found lying on his back with the arm that held the pistol still uplifted and rigid. He left no note but when asked by a friend in the Tonopah Club as he was leaving the place, if he was going to the new strike, he replied: "Yes, I am going to the strike right now; good-bye." During the night he had been in a strange mental condition, although he had not been drinking. His irritability was something unusual in a man that

hitherto had been quiet, almost to the point of moroseness, but seldom angered. His acquaintances now remark that ever since the death of Jack Whyte he had been peculiarly altered in demeanor. At about 5 o'clock he went upstairs to a friend's room, where he discussed money matters and then went to his own room.

Whyte was shot, presumably by Stegal, one night last December in the cabin of Mrs. Abbott, where she was giving a supper to Whyte and another I. W. W. agitator, named McGucken. Stegal was an unbidden guest and he forced his way into the house, when the shooting began. No weapons were found and the case was dropped because of Whyte's refusal to prosecute, even though he knew he was doomed to death. Mrs. Abbott leaving Tonopah shortly afterward added to Stegal's despondency. He frequently lamented that she was not free to marry him. Lately Stegal had been unable to sleep and he purchased sleeping powders in quantity to bring about slumber.

The body is now at Wonacott & Cavanaugh's undertaking parlors. The inquest has been delayed owing to the illness of Coroner Dunseath. Stegal lived in Tonopah a number of years and followed the profession of gambling. When the games were closed by law he went to work in the Belmont, where he worked for three years.

DEAN OF CANTERBURY WON'T "SWEAR OFF"

SAYS THE USE OF ALCOHOLIC LIQUOR IS NECESSARY FOR HIS HEALTH

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, April 29.—The clergy comprising the lower house of convocation of Canterbury are willing to set the nation an example in the matter of temperance, but they are not willing to abstain entirely from alcohol. This was the sense of a meeting and a resolution was passed "Inviting the clergy and laity of the Church of England to set an example of self-sacrifice in the matter of alcoholic liquors. Several voted after being assured that total abstinence was not expected of them. The Dean of Canterbury said flatly that he would refuse to swear off altogether. He said he had tried it before but it was a failure. It had impaired his health, he said.

publishes, "in pride, gratitude and mourning," a list of ten family members who have fallen in battle. The list includes one major general, Carl Ulrich von Bulow, shot before Liege on August 5th; one major, two captains, one lieutenancy commander, one first lieutenant and four second lieutenants. There are 108 von Bulows serving in the army or navy.

WILL START SINKING DURING NEXT WEEK

H. A. Darms, president and general manager of the Darms Coal company at Coaldale, arrived in Tonopah this morning. He says that the new machinery has been installed and that the surface work is practically completed. Sinking on the coal vein will be resumed in about a week. It will start with one shift, but a second will probably be added soon.

BUTLER THEATRE
TONIGHT
SELIG'S BIG 9-REEL PRODUCTION
"THE SPOILERS"
FROM REX BEACH'S FAMOUS ALASKA STORY FEATURING
William Farnum
AND...
Kathlyn Williams
1ST SHOW, 6:30; 2ND, 9 P. M.
ADMISSION 10 AND 25c

ITALY AND BRITAIN REACH AGREEMENT

(By Associated Press.)

ROME, April 29.—It is reported that Italy has reached an agreement with Great Britain and France that if she enters the war it will be contemporaneously with a concerted movement against Germany and Aus-

tria by all their opponents. The agreement is said to provide also for territory which Italy will acquire in the event of victory, and for a new permanent alliance between Italy and the powers of the triple entente.

JAPAN CONCEDES IN CLAIMS ON CHINA

(By Associated Press.) SOME MODIFICATIONS ARE MADE IN CONSIDERATION FOR ENGLAND

TOKIO, April 29.—Japan's new proposals to China show concessions, according to the Japan Mail. They are said to omit the demand for the non-alienation of China's coastal territory. Out of consideration for England some modification is considered probable relative to the railroad concessions in south China.

BRIDGES BURNED BY INCENDIARIES

TWO FIRES STARTED SIMULTANEOUSLY WITH INTENT TO DESTROY CITY

(By Associated Press.) VANCOUVER, April 29.—Fires which the police believe to have been of incendiary origin, started at the Cambie and the Granville street bridges, which are a mile apart. The damage at Cambie exceeds \$300,000 while the damage at Granville is slight. The bridges connect the business section of the city with the residence section. Street car service was interrupted for hours. The police have a theory that the fires were set by incendiaries with the motive of burning the city. The Cambie bridge cost \$750,000.

WARNING NOT TO RAISE PRODUCTION

COTTON WEAVING IN AUSTRIA NOT ON A PROMISING FOUNDATION

(By Associated Press.) VIENNA, April 29.—Learning that certain Austrian cotton mills planned to increase the number of looms, the Association of Austrian Cottonweavers has issued an emphatic warning against any such step. It pointed out that while a large number of looms are occupied with army contracts, the general trade situation is far from satisfactory, and the present is no time for increasing machinery plants.

The association's circular goes on to say that the future is no more favorable either. Exports will certainly not be made easier by the war, but will be much more difficult. In the last three or four years selling prices, through over-production, have been from 5 to 10 per cent below cost of manufacture. It is absolutely senseless, therefore, it is contended, to think of increasing investments in the cotton business in Austria under present conditions.

MONARCH PITTSBURG GETS HIGH VALUES

The north drift of the Monarch Pittsburg Extension, which is now out 30 feet from the main crosscut on the 850 foot level, is showing exceptionally well. The values, however, are still lumpy. An assay of \$112.45 was obtained yesterday, but Superintendent Smith does not claim that this was a fair average. The face of the drift is looking exceptionally well and more uniform this morning.

DEMENTED MAN MAY UNDERGO AN OPERATION

Parley Wheeler, the oldest attendant in point of service at the Nevada hospital for mental diseases, arrived from Reno yesterday to convey Oscar Saari to the asylum. They left on this morning's train. Saari was perfectly competent until he was struck over the head, which probably caused a blood clot to form. Then he became violently insane at times and it was found necessary to confine him and bind him over to the asylum authorities. Mr. Wheeler, who has become an expert in adjudging cases, says he feels confident that an X-ray examination, followed by an operation, will restore the unfortunate man to full possession of his mental powers.

TEN IN ONE FAMILY HAVE FALLEN IN BATTLE

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, April 29.—The family council of the von Beulow family

"SHORTY" COOPER SOLVES THE MYSTERY

BRAVE FIGHT MADE AGAINST THE INROADS OF A FATAL MALADY

Cassius A. Cooper, known familiarly to his friends as "Shorty," died this morning at 8:30 at the Tonopah Mine Operators' hospital, where for the past two weeks he made a brave struggle for life when assailed by chronic Bright's disease. The deceased never gave up the struggle and only yesterday he left his bed and walked about the room, asserting the claim that he would recover. During all the time that he was in the hospital a trained nurse was with him and she was assisted by Mrs. Richards, a sister of the Humphrey brothers, by whom he was considered as a member of the family. Al Prevert, another close friend of many years' standing, was also with him as much as possible and the sufferer gained great consolation and help through their society.

The malady, however, could not be beaten off by mere determination or medical skill and death claimed the sufferer. Mr. Cooper was born at Albany, Ore., February 20, 1877. He is survived by his father, Joel Cooper, who resides on the old homestead; two brothers in the same town, a sister at Loma, Mont., another at Los Angeles and an aunt, who reared him from infancy, at Arlington.

"Shorty" Cooper was one of the original locators of Manhattan. He and the Humphrey brothers took up the April Fool, Mustang, Little Gray and other properties. Through their sale the deceased realized about \$20,000. He was liberal with his money, rewarding many people who had befriended him in the past. He also purchased a ranch in Monitor valley, which was owned by him at the time of his death. He was a free handed, liberal man, strict in his ideas of integrity. Even in his delirium he asked if his accounts were all straight. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been completed, awaiting word from his relatives.

The funeral will take place at Albany, Oregon, where the body will be shipped tomorrow morning.

NEW YORK NEWSPAPER MAN VISITS TONOPAH

R. C. Baker, editor of the Copper Curb and Mining Outlook of New York City, accompanied by Mrs. Baker, arrived in Tonopah this morning and they are at the Mizpah. Mr. Baker will make a thorough examination of the properties in this district.

VISITING THE SCHOOLS

Prof. R. C. Thompson of the University of Nevada is in Tonopah inspecting the public schools and is the guest of Superintendent Smith. From here he goes to Bishop.

MOTHER RECEIVES NEWS SON'S DEATH

R. S. CONNOR KILLED WHILE ON AUTO RIDE WITH SEVERAL FRIENDS

Ben D. Luce of this city is in receipt of a wire telling him of the instant death of his brother-in-law, R. S. Connor, who was thrown from an automobile at Oakland. The four other members of the party were more or less seriously injured. The cause of the accident was a broken wheel. Details are lacking.

The mother of the man who was killed, Mrs. Elizabeth Connor, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Luce. She is 53 years of age. Her condition, due to shock on receipt of the news, is serious.

EAST IS SELLING ON FALSE RUMORS

(Special to the Bonanza.) SAN FRANCISCO, April 29.—The east is selling Goldfields on false rumors, as a result of the Merger disagreement. It is stated that the Jumbo Extension-Booth agreement is also off. This is absolutely without foundation. Stipulations were prepared today and will be filed with the court Saturday.

VILLA TROOPS DEFEATED BY CONSTITUTIONAL ARMY

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, April 29.—The Carranza consul, Elias, has received a telegram that the Villa troops were decisively defeated by the constitutionalists at Villidama. Eleven officers are reported killed and much munition of war taken. The Villa forces later surrendered to General Prezillo.

HORSETRADER MAKES GETAWAY

(By Associated Press.) SACRAMENTO, April 29.—The old-time horsetrader escaped state regulation when the senate defeated Kehoe's bill requiring horses and other stock sold to be warranted as sound and free from disease.

NO MEXICAN GOVERNMENT RECOGNIZED BY U. S.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, April 29.—"We are not considering recognizing any government in Mexico," Secretary Bryan said in answering the report that the Carranza administration expected early recognition.

GERMANS TAKE POLISH VILLAGE

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, April 29.—The Germans have captured Kovale, a Polish village, and also occupied a Russian position near Sochaczew, on the Warsaw front.